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Attorney for DEFENDANT'S NAME

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
  
Plaintiff,

v.

HERMINIA HERRERA ORTIZ,  
  
Defendant

Case No.: 1:20-CR-034 DAD-BAM

MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL  
OF RECORD AND APPOINT CJA  
COUNSEL

Virna L. Santos, appointed counsel of record in the above-captioned case, hereby moves for an order allowing her to withdraw as counsel of record and for the appointment of new counsel to represent HERMINIA HERRERA ORTIZ. As grounds she states:

1. Virna L. Santos was appointed to represent defendant on February 25, 2020:
2. At the time of appointment the undersigned was a member of the Criminal Justice Act Panel for the Eastern District of California.
3. Undersigned counsel has accepted a judicial appointment to the Fresno County Superior Court, and consequently, must close her private practice.
4. Defendant HERMINIA HERRERA ORTIZ is still in need of counsel. The Federal Public Defender has contacted attorney Alekxia L. Torres Stallings, who is available to assume representation.

DATED: April 19, 2022

## ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE